

MAILS NEXT WEEK
From Coast: Mastonia, Dec. 5; Tenyo Maru, 6.
For Coast: U. S. T. Thompson, 7; Tenyo Maru, 8.
From Orient: U. S. T. Thompson, 9; China, 6; Selyo Maru, 7.
For Orient: Tenyo Maru, 8 (draw.)

Maui News

LATEST SUGAR QUOTATIONS		
	Cents	Dollars
	per lb.	per ton
Today's Quotation	6.90	\$138.00
Last Previous	7.02	140.20

EIGHTEENTH YEAR WAILUKU, MAUI CO., HAWAII, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1917. NUMBER 925.

Eight Maui Men Are Now Regular Officers

Robinson, Knudsen, Walker, Lufkin, Walker, And Betts Are Lieutenants And Parmelee Is Lieutenant—Four Local Soldiers Failed—Full List Of Soldiers At Omes

Eight of the Maui men in the officers' training camp at Omes successfully passed all tests and have been commissioned as officers in the regular army, being assigned to regiments now on Oahu. Alvin H. Robinson, Paul V. Knudsen and William H. Young become first lieutenants in the First Infantry. Ralph B. Walker, Frank Lufkin and Ward D. Walker become first lieutenants in the 25th Infantry, a colored regiment. Arthur C. Betts and Allen E. Parmelee, go to the Second Infantry, the former as first and the latter as second lieutenant. Four Maui men failed to pass the final tests. Those getting through from all islands, and receiving appointments were:

Captains
Phil. H. Coniston (army) reserve corps, attached 1st Inf.
Lewis Abshire (Oahu) reserve corps, attached 2nd Inf.
Lewis F. Pagel (army) reserve corps, attached 25th Inf.
William L. Warren (Oahu) reserve corps, attached to 32nd Inf.

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Filipino "Bad Man" Gets Year In Prison

The police arrested a Filipino named Antonio Paglinun Friday night on suspicion of his being the party who stole a watch from a man in Camp 1, Puunene. Sure enough, the watch was found in his possession. Certain circumstances connected with the affair caused the police to suspect that their prisoner was also the person who burglarized the premises of one Yamikuma Hirata, on October 31, also stealing a watch and some other belongings there. When taxed with the latter burglary the man confessed his guilt.

On the person of the Filipino at the time of his arrest was an ugly dagger, and upon searching his living room the police found two "loaded" clubs. The Filipino explained that he kept the weapons for use in fights over gambling games.

Paglinun was arraigned in Judge McKay's court Monday morning and entered pleas of guilty to two charges. For burglary he was sentenced to imprisonment for one year, and for carrying a dangerous weapon he was given three months, the latter sentence to take effect upon the expiration of the former.

Sheriff Crowell believes that the Filipino has been a "bad man" and that he has committed many offenses around Wailuku, Kahului and Puunene, for which he had never been suspected. There is a feeling of relief in police circles that he has been put away for a year or more.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Announcement has been made in the Memphis papers by Mr. Charles Savage, manager of the Southern Division of the American Lumber Company, Chicago, of the engagement of his daughter, Clara, to Mr. Ralph N. Villiers, of Honolulu. Miss Savage has been for the past two years, a teacher in the Mission Schools of the Episcopal Church in Honolulu. Mr. Villiers is connected with the First National Bank there. He is the son of the Rev. J. Charles Villiers, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Wailuku.

ENGLE WINS FINAL

Engle won the postponed final in the tennis contest on the Wailuku Mill courts Sunday afternoon, after a battle that was full of "pep." Burns took the first set, 7-5; Engle the second, 6-4; Burns the third, 6-3. Then Engle limbered up and took two straight, 6-0, 6-4.

Unknown Filipino Drowned In Sea

Body Found Floating In The Surf—Investigation Fails To Reveal Identity

FOUND: In the sea, one dead Filipino.
NAME: Unknown.

Sheriff Clement Crowell has been literally scouring the island since Saturday morning for some clue to the identity of a Filipino, the dead body of whom was found floating in the sea about a mile and a half from Kahului, below the beach houses, the finder being one Ageo, an Okinawa.

When the Japanese discovered the corpse in the water, he returned to shore and told some natives about it. The latter telephoned to Sheriff Crowell, who sent Officer Frank Silva and other policemen over there to investigate. The latter pulled the body out of the breakers and took it to the Puunene morgue, where an autopsy was conducted by Dr. Sawyer. Death had evidently occurred two or three days before, but as no other cause than drowning could be found the body was buried shortly afterward.

The man had nothing on his person that could throw any light on his identity. The Sheriff made an investigation at the various plantations, and among the Filipinos in the camps, but could not find that anyone was missing. He then surmised that the man, who may have been a stranger here, possibly fell from some incoming steamer. It was figured from the schedules that it could only be the Claudine, but all the passengers by that steamer at that time were accounted for.

Superintendent Hobby Inspects Maui Works

Wm. R. Hobby, superintendent of public works, arrived on Maui Sunday morning to inspect the work being done on Olinda reservoir and the site of the new wharf at Hana. He was accompanied on his local tour by Hugh Howell, of the construction company bearing his name, and Joel B. Cox, county engineer.

Messrs. Theo. H. Davies & Co., representing clients and owners of the Kaeleku Sugar Company, took the \$75,000 of four per cent. bonds necessary for the immediate construction of the Hana wharf and certain work on the approaches thereto. The improvement will be put in without delay.

Races At Kahului Saturday Afternoon

Frank B. Cameron and Angus McPhee have succeeded in getting together a very promising program for the race meet at Kahului Saturday afternoon, beginning at 2 o'clock. There are altogether about thirty horses entered, and interest is keen all along the line.

The big event will be the free-for-all for a purse of \$150, in which a few arguments will be settled. Devilio Mary J and Copra are entered for this race.

The Japanese are going into the events big, they having listed twenty horses; and the Portuguese are equally interested.

The admission charge will be 50 cents. The promoters have arranged the meet for the sole purpose of keeping the sport alive, and do not intend to make any money out of it. Whatever profit there may be will be turned over to the Red Cross.

BATTALION OF "GRIPPE"

Russia had her "Battalion of Death," but Maui has her "Battalion of Grippe." A large percentage of the men returning from Camp Liliuokalani, Oahu, at an early hour this morning are suffering from severe colds.

Lieutenant Chillingworth, of Wailuku, returned home Wednesday night ahead of the battalion, on account of influenza.

A Pretty Wedding Wednesday Evening

Miss Gwendolin von Tempsky Becomes Bride Of Wailuku Business Man

The wedding of Miss Gwendolin von Tempsky, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis von Tempsky, and Mr. John Barton Bridgeford, manager of the insurance department of the Bank of Maui, Ltd., Wailuku, was solemnized in the Baldwin Memorial Church, Makawao, at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening. Rev. J. Charles Villiers, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Wailuku, officiating.

The church was prettily decorated for the occasion and was filled with relations and friends of the contracting parties.

Promptly at the appointed time the party entered the church, the bride accompanied by her father, who gave her away. The bridesmaids were Miss Armine von Tempsky and Miss Irma Wodehouse. Mrs. H. B. Penhallow was the matron of honor and Miss Annie Wodehouse the maid of honor. Paul Townsley was best man. Seabury T. Short and G. Zabriske officiated as ushers.

After the ceremony at the church a reception was held at the von Tempsky home, followed by dancing.

Mr. and Mrs. Bridgeford will make their home in Wailuku.

Food Commissioner Visits Maui Growers

J. F. Child, executive head of the food commission, was a visitor to Maui on Tuesday, coming over in the Claudine. While here he was shown around by Representative J. J. Walsh and others.

Mr. Child brought the information that Honolulu merchants, after a caucus on the question, had agreed to pay the same price for Maui beans, f. o. b. Kahului, as they now pay for beans from California; but that the beans must be properly graded and fumigated before shipment.

"Grading and fumigating the beans," said Mr. Child, is the one point. If that work is attended to it will be no trouble at all to dispose of the entire output in Honolulu at highest market prices. I have found out that the Kahului Store is equipped for doing fumigating and will handle it for a small toll.

"I would recommend that the Maui bean growers get together and have their crop routed through a central agency here. It is too difficult and unsatisfactory for Honolulu merchants to have to correspond and deal with individual growers. Let the entire business be handled through one responsible head and there will be satisfaction all around."

Maui Shriners On Honolulu Pilgrimage

W. H. Field, F. P. Rosecrans, George Freeland, W. T. Robinson, E. R. Bevins, C. D. Lufkin, and H. Streubeck made up the Maui delegation which took in the big affair of the Shriners at Honolulu on Saturday. They participated in the parade at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, took in the banquet at the Moana in the evening and returned home Tuesday morning.

All report having had a delightful time.

Witnesses Off For Coast

Saranghadhar Das and wife, of Paia, left for Honolulu Monday night and have probably already sailed from there for the coast to appear as witnesses in the Hindu plot case, in which former German Consul George Rodeik is a defendant.

AN ENGAGEMENT

Mrs. M. G. Rodrigues, Wailuku, announces the engagement of her daughter, Margaret Agnes, to John T. Osorio, manager of the Vieira Jewelry Co's branch store at Hilo, Hawaii.

Prize Medals For Schools Of Maui

Fair & Racing Association Trophies Arrive And Prove Very Pretty

Commissioner D. C. Lindsay has received the medals won by the different schools in the contest inaugurated by the Maui County Fair & Racing Association. The first prizes are silver and the second bronze, all neatly engraved. They will be delivered as follows:

Kealahou School, first prize, vegetables and fruits.

St. Anthony's School, first prize, boys' grammar grade; second, boys' book binding.

Waihee, first prize, plain sewing. Hamakuapoko, first prize, bookbinding.

Puukoli, first prize, flowers, trees, etc.

Kamehameha III, first prize, cooking; first, fancy needle work; first, lauhala weaving; first, cabinet work; first, loom weaving; second, live stock; second, plain sewing; second, carpentry.

Keokea, second, flowers, trees, etc. Kaupo, second, lauhala weaving. M. A. Co's Paia Kindergarten, first, primary work.

Puunene, first, live stock; second, primary work; second, cooking. Paia, first, printing; first, carpentry; second, vegetables and fruits.

Wailuku, second, grammar grade work; second, fancy needle work; second, cabinet work.

Soldiers Of Maui Returned Last Night

The National Guardsmen of Wailuku, Kahului, Puunene and Paia returned home in the Kilauea this morning, reaching Kahului about 1:30 o'clock where they took trucks and autos for their respective armories and homes. They left Honolulu late yesterday and were a tired lot when they arrived here.

A good deal of criticism is made of the commissary arrangement during the entire camping period. The day the men got into Honolulu they were hurried off to camp and did not get breakfast until 3 o'clock in the afternoon. It was realized that someone had blundered, but there was little complaining. Throughout the camp period, however, the food was scant, uncertain and of a poor quality.

But the Maui men express themselves as feeling that a great deal has come from the instruction received.

Drought On Maui Broken At Last

The light showers which continued in frequency and volume last week reached a sort of "climax" Monday afternoon when there was an old-time down-pour all over the lower levels of Maui, lasting about two hours. The entire country was lightly flooded and for the first time in many months a torrent of water came down through Iao stream. The streets of Wailuku, Kahului and other towns were quite thoroughly washed out, while the cane-fields received a much-needed share. In the meanwhile, heavy rains fell upon the mountains, supplying the irrigation ditches.

Since Monday there have been several good showers, reaching practically every section of the island. Taken altogether, the precipitation during last night was, also considerable, although the figures are not at present available.

The situation is much improved, and all Maui feels better.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses have been issued in Wailuku since last report:

Joseph Souza Leval, Portuguese, Wailuku, 26; Mary Correa, Portuguese, Lahaina, 18.
John Barton Bridgeford, American, Wailuku, 21; Gwendolin von Tempsky, English, Makawao, 23.

Maui Teachers In Annual Convention

The Maui teachers are holding their annual convention today in the school at Paia, the session opening at 9 o'clock this morning. The attendance is very large, teachers being present from all parts of the island.

At press hour the teachers are having luncheon at the residence of Commissioner D. C. Lindsay. The proceedings of the morning were as follows:

Martial Music, by Paia Orchestra. Invocation, by Rev. Rowland H. Dodge.

Patriotic Program led by teachers and pupils of the Paia School as follows:

Song—"America," All Present. Flag Salute, All Present.

"I pledge allegiance to my flag and the Republic for which it stands, one Nation, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

Recitation—"Lincoln's Gettysburg Address."
Song—"Oh Beautiful America."
Song—"Canning the Kaiser," All Present.

Patriotic Reading, by Mrs. Helen Mar Linton.
Address—"The First Duty of the

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Haiku Farmers Have A Dinner Thanksgiving

A Jolly And Largely Attended Affair At The Haiku Club House

A NEW CONSTITUTION ADOPTED

The Haiku Farmers' Association held a very successful Thanksgiving dinner at the Haiku Club House at 1 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

The dinner was followed by a regular monthly business meeting at which a new constitution was adopted, changing the Association from a more less strictly homestead affair to a community organization, to include all residents and property owners in Haiku. Ku'aha. Kaupakalua. Ulumalu districts of Maui, and other Maui residents interested in the development of the agricultural and American citizenship interests of the island.

The dinner was arranged by the officers and ladies of the Association, who worked out the details and the program following in a very creditable manner.

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Today's News By Wireless

Washington—Extensions of steamer service on Great Lakes to relieve railroads is advised by Baker. Advocates tests of tows during winter in breaking ice on inland waterways. Motor truck trains through Pennsylvania advised.

GERMANY READY FOR PEACE
Berlin—Von Hertling told Reichstag he was ready to enter peace negotiations with Russian representative if sent. Hopes these efforts may soon take definite shape and perhaps peace. Said referring to plans of Lithuania and Courland: "We respect the rights of these people to determine self-government and expect they will give themselves a constitutional form of government corresponding to their condition".

WILSON HAS QUIET DAY
Washington—Wilson spent a quiet Thanksgiving. Went to church in the morning. Dinner was plain, along lines of food conservation ideas. Informal Navy Relief ball at night.

TEUTONS KILL EACH OTHER
Italian Headquarters—Wednesday, it is learned officially, two Hungarian regiments nearly exterminated each other by mistake. They were Czechs, Galicians and Poles in different languages and uniforms. Mistook each other for enemy and fought with rifles, bayonets and grenades, finally being disentangled. This occurred on Asiago Plains during main engagement.

CRACKER MANUFACTURERS RESTRICTED
Washington—Cracker manufacturers placed under rules of food administration and will save 16,000,000 pounds sugar annually and 12,000,000 pounds shortening.

ITALIAN FRONT UNCHANGED
Rome—Piave situation unchanged.

THE SCANDINAVIAN CONFERENCE
Christiania—Scandinavian conference opened with speeches by Haakon and Gustave. Haakon referred to separation of Sweden and Norway and first time Swedish ruler had visited Norway since. "Each nation is small in itself but together constitute a force to be reckoned with. When the question of safeguarding and maintaining independence is concerned we have right to freely dispose of our destinies", he said.

GERMAN DESTROYER SUNK
London—German destroyer hits mine off Holland and sunk; two saved.

MEET ON LIBERTY LOAN
Washington—MacAdoo calls conference bank reserve board to perfect organization of Liberty Loan for period of war. Meet December 10th.

SWEDEN MAY MEDIATE
London—Exchange Telegraph despatch from Copenhagen says Swedish legation at Petrograd agrees to request to act as mediators between Germany and Russia. Has already sent note to Berlin foreign office.

WIRELESS MARKET QUOTATIONS

SESSION 10:30 A. M. NOVEMBER 30, 1917.

Ewa Plantation Company	27.50
Hawaiian Commercial & Sugar Co.	40.00
McBryde Sugar Company	8.50
Cahu Sugar Company	29.00
Olaa Sugar Company	5.50
Pioneer Mill Company	30.00
Wailuku Agricultural Company	22.00
Honolulu Brewing & Malting Company	18.50
Mineral Products Company	.12
Honolulu Consolidated Oil Company	
Engels Copper Company	5.00
Mountain King Mine	.08
Hawaiian Sugar Company	
Onomea Sugar Company	50.00
Hawaiian Pineapple Company	39.00
Oahu Railway & Land Company	
Mutual Telephone Company	20.00
San Carlos	
Honokaa	
Montana Bingham	.49
Madera	.33